GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT
LOK SABHA

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Venture Capital Fund Scheme
Chudasama Shri Rajeshbhai Naranbhai

Will the Minister of SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the number of women beneficiaries under the Venture Capital Fund Scheme for SC entrepreneurs since inception of the scheme, State-wise;

(b) the funds allocated and expenditure incurred under the scheme, State-wise; and

(c) whether Scheduled Castes women entrepreneurs are given preference during the selection and if so, the details thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE FOR SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT
(SHRI VIJAY SAMPLA)
(a): Projects of 38 SC women beneficiaries under the Venture Capital Fund for Scheduled Castes scheme have been sanctioned. The State-wise beneficiaries is listed at Annexure-I.
(b): State-wise fund allocation is not made under the Scheme. However, the State-wise beneficiaries and expenditure is Tabulated at Annexure-II.
(c):Yes, Madam, the Scheduled Castes women entrepreneurs are given preference during the selection. Details are as mentioned in reply to part (a) above.
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